CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES
ADN-BSN COLLABORATIVE PROGRAM
ROADMAP

PASADENA CITY COLLEGE
School of Nursing
https://pasadena.edu/academics/divisions/health-sciences/

CAL STATE LA
Patricia A. Chin School of Nursing
http://www.calstatela.edu/hhs/nursing

Years 1-2: Associate Degree, General Education, and ADN Prerequisite Courses

Fall		Units: 15
ANAT 25*	General Human Anatomy (B2/B3)	4
ENGL 1A*	Reading and Composition (A2)	4
MATH 131	Intermediate Algebra	4
PSYCH 1*	Introductory Psychology (D9)	3
Spring		**Units: 15**
PHYSO 1*	Human Physiology (B2/B3)	4
CHEM 2A*	Chemistry - General, Organic, and Biochemistry (B1/B3)	4
ENGL 1B	Reading and Composition (C2 & prerequisite for ENGL 1C)	4
SPEECH 1* *or* SPEECH 10	Fundamentals of Speech *or* Interpersonal Communication (A1)	3

Winter Session (if available)		
Summer Session (if available)		**Units: 6**
SOCIO 1*	Introductory Sociology (D0)	3
NURTI 11*	Human Nutrition (E)	3

Fall		Units: 12
MICRO 2*	Microbiology (B2/B3)	4
PSYCH 24*	Lifespan Developmental Psychology (D9)	3
ENGL 1C*	Critical Thinking & Argument (A3)	4
PE Activity (PEACT)	(2 unit PCC graduation requirement for ADN)	1
Spring		**Units: 11**
STAT 50*	Elementary Statistics (B4)	4
POLSC 1	Introduction to American Government (CSU U.S. Constitution & D8)	3
Elective Area C1 or C2	Arts *or* Humanities (C1 *or* C2)	3
PE Activity (PEACT)	(2 unit PCC graduation requirement for ADN)	1

Winter Session (if available)		
Summer Session (if available)		**Units: 6**
Elective Area C1	Arts (C1)	3
HIST 7A, 7B, 25A, 25B, 29A 29B, 31, *or* 41	(CSU U.S. History & D6)	3

Bolded courses are required prerequisites for ADN program
*Courses are required prerequisites for BSN program
Parenthese ( ) indicate CSU General Education Breadth Certification areas

Total Associate Degree, General Education, and ADN Prerequisite units: 65
Transferrable General Education-Breadth units: 39

Years 3-4: ADN Nursing Courses

Fall - ADN Semester 1		Units: 11 / *(12)*
NURS 50	Foundational Nursing Care	4
NURS 50L	Foundational Nursing Care - Clinical	4
NURS 50S	Foundational Nursing - Seminar	1
NURS 137	Pharmacology: Drugs and Solutions	1
NURS 138	Pharmacology: Dprocess and Problems	1
NURS 200	*Nursing Laboratory (elective)*	1
Spring - ADN Semester 2		**Units: 9 / *(10)***
NURS 51	Beginning Nursing	3
NURS 51L	Beginning Nursing - Clinical	5
NURS 51S	Beginning Nursing - Seminar	1
NURS 200	*Nursing Laboratory (elective)*	1

Winter Session (if available)		
Summer 1 - Cal State LA Semester		**Units: 6**
NURS 3500	Pathophysiology for Nursing Practice	3
NURS 3720	Health Assessment and Promotion Across the Life Span	2
NURS 3730	Health Assessment and Promotion Across the Life Span Lab	1

Fall - ADN Semester 3		Units: 9 / *(10)*
NURS 52	Intermediate Nursing Care	3
NURS 52L	Intermediate Nursing Care - Clinical	5
NURS 52S	Intermediate Nursing Care - Seminar	1
NURS 200	*Nursing Laboratory (elective)*	1
Spring - ADN Semester 4		**Units: 9 / *(10)***
NURS 53	Advanced Medical-Surgical Nursing	3
NURS 53L	Advanced Medical-Surgical Nursing - Clinical	5
NURS 53S	Advanced Nursing - Seminar	1
NURS 200	*Nursing Laboratory (elective)*	1

Winter Session (if available)		
Summer 2 - Cal State LA Semester		**Units: 6**
NURS 3480	Development for Professional Practice	3
NURS 3490	Development for Professional Practice Lab	1
NURS 3900	Nursing Informatics and Information Literacy and Competency	2

Total ADN (Lower Division Nursing Major) units: 38 / *(42)*
Transferrable ADN (Lower Division Nursing Major) units: 31

— Pass NCLEX —
— GPA ≥ 3.0 —
— Formal Cal State LA Matriculation —

Year 5: Cal State LA BSN Courses

Fall - Cal State LA Semester		Units: 12
NURS 4600	Nursing Leadership and Care Management	3
NURS 4610	Nursing Leadership and Care Management Clinical Lab	3
NURS 4900 (wi)	Introduction to Nursing Research	3
BIOL 3084*	Biology of Human Aging	3
Spring - Cal State LA Semester		**Units: 12**
NURS 4700	Community/Public Health Nursing	3
NURS 4710	Community/Public Health Nursing Clinical Lab	3
PAS/WGSS 3715** (cl)(re)	Rethinking the 'Welfare Queen:' Race, Gender, and Poverty in the US	3
PHIL 3330 (wi)(cl)(d)	Engaged Philosophy: An Intersectional Approach	3

Winter Session	Units: 0
Summer Session	**Units: 0**

**Students with a previous bachelor's degree may not need to take these courses
(wi) Writing Intensive course
(cl) Civic Learning course
(re) Race/Ethnicity course
(d) Diversity course

Total BSN (Upper Division Nursing Major) units: 27
Total Upper Division General Education (UDGE) units: 9

- Civic Learning/Community Engagelemt Requirement (6 semester units). One (cl) course must be completed at the upper division general education level.
- Diversity Requirement (6 semester units). Students must complete one race/ethnicity (re) course and one diversity (d) course or another race/ethnicity (re) course.
- Writing Intensive Requirement (6 semester units). Students must complete two writing intensive (wi) courese, with at least one in their major.

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Cal State LA ADN-BSN Collaborative Program Unit Summary

Transferrable General Education-Breadth Units[1]: (Lower division general education coursework from community college)	39
Transferrable ADN Units[1]: (Lower division nursing major cousrework from community college)	31
Cal State LA BSN Units:	27
Cal State LA Upper Division General Education Units:	9
Lower Division Units Awarded for NCLEX-RN[2]:	10
Upper Division Units Awarded for NCLEX-RN[2]:	4
Total Baccalaureate Degree Units:	**120**

Cal State LA University Unit Requirements	
General Education Units in Residence	9
Units in the Major in Residence	12
Upper Division Units in Residence	24
Units in Residence	30
Upper Division Units	40
Overall Units	120

Program Dates and Deadlines	
Apply through Community College	Fall (ADN Semester 1)
Apply through CSU Mentor	Spring (ADN Semester 4)
CSU GE Breadth Certification	Prior to Cal State LA Summer 2
Pass NCLEX	Prior to Cal State LA Fall
Cal State LA Matriculation	Cal State LA Fall

[1]" California Community Colleges and other authorized certifying institutions can certify up to 39 semester units of General Education-Breadth (GE-Breadth)...for transfer students to fulfill lower-division general education requirements for any CSU campus prior to transfer. . . Students may be permitted to transfer no more than 70 semester units to a CSU campus from an institution which does not offer bachelor's degrees or their equivalents, for example, community colleges."
2017-2018 California State University, Los Angeles College Catalog; Admissions, Transfer Policies of CSU Campuses

[2]" 5. As the California Board of Registered Nursing requires 36 units of the art and science of nursing in pre-licensure programs in preparation for the standardized external National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX), in accordance with the stipulations of this policy a CSU campus may award academic credits using the NCLEX examination to demonstrate prior learning of the pre-licensure art and science of nursing required by the Board of Registered Nursing (Title 5 section 40408).

5.1 If a student has passed the NCLEX examination, a CSU campus may apply toward the baccalaureate nursing degree one unit of academic credit for every unit of the required pre-licensure community college nursing course credits that were not transferred to the CSU baccalaureate program, with a maximum of 30 semester units to be awarded through the NCLEX provision."

CSU Chancellor's Executive Order 1084, Section 5 & Subsection 5.1